

SCHOOL POPULATION IS DOUBLED IN ONE YEAR

Trustees Wade Provision For Addition To Teaching Staff. Accommodation Is Taxed.

There are twice as many pupils receiving instruction at the Bassano public school as there were at this time a year ago. The teaching staff has been doubled, and there is imminent danger of overcrowding in the near future in the splendid building recently erected, and provision has been made in the estimates of the school board this year for the opening of two more rooms, and the adding of two more teachers to the staff.

This is a true index of the rapid growth of Bassano during the year, and next year, if the pupil population increases pro rata, the board will be faced with the problem of extending the magnificent school building, which is recognized as one of the best in the province.

When the school was built last year the Trustees thought they had looked several years ahead, instead of that the growth has been so rapid, much beyond all expectations, that the matter of increasing the accommodation will have to be faced without fail in the near future.

There are now 126 in the books, whereas a year ago there were only 78. "We have a new face every week almost," said Mrs. Golden, the head mistress in discussing the situation with the News this week.

The Trustees held a meeting on Friday last when steps were taken to meet the situation by opening two more rooms in the basement and making provision for two more teachers.

The school grounds will be fenced, and in front of the building will be sown in lawn grass this year. Authority was given at the school board's meeting on Friday last for this work to be done, and it will be started soon straight away.

\$4,000 Roman Catholic Church to be Built Here

With \$2,000 raised in a day, and a fifty foot lot donated, the Roman Catholic community of Bassano have decided to put up a modern edifice at the corner of 3rd Ave. and 2nd St. east. It will cost around \$4,000.

Following the visit of the Father Superior from Regina recently, authority was given to the Bassano congregation to erect a church when they wished.

A general call for subscriptions resulted in \$2,000 being promised by people of all denominations. Authority has now been given for the preparation of a plan, and there are expected in Bassano about the end of the week.

Work will be commenced as soon as these are approved.

British Engineers Arrive in Bassano To Day

All Bassano joins in greeting the members of the Engineer Students Association of Westminster, London, Eng., who arrived in Bassano today to inspect the Dam, and the commencement of one of the greatest irrigation projects on the American continent. The students are on an educational tour of Canada and the States, under the supervision of Henry W. Cree, secretary of the association.

In the beginning Bassano was smitten from their itinerary, but Publicity Commissioner Rothwell went into battle with Mr. Cree, who expressed his pleasure at being able to inspect such an important engineering undertaking as the Dam, and willingly promised to come. They are expected to arrive on the afternoon train, and will be met by R. C. Pegler, President of the Board of Trade, W. A. Rothwell, Publicity Commissioner, T. W. Cogswell, of the Calgary Publicity Department of the C.P.T.C., and will be immediately whirled into autos to the Dam, and shown over parts of the ditches, and the dam work.

Lunch will be served at the Dam, and a lecture on the work will be given by one of the engineers in charge.

The engineers will be leaving by the early train Friday morning.

BASSANO BOOSTERS at EDMONTON and RED DEER.

Handicapped by the illness of the best pitcher Hayes and O'Neil Bassano shaped up badly against Red Deer this week, failing to take a single game. The finish up against Edmonton at the end of last week was better, the locals beating the northerners twice and drawing once.

This week Bassano meets Calgary at Calgary on Victoria Day, and plays a double header at Victoria Park, Calgary.

Bassano is here at Berkeley Park all next week, Edmonton being the first visitors, and Red Deer being the attraction at the end of the week. A double header will be played Saturday.

The standing legs Bassano at the bottom, Calgary, Edmonton and Red Deer being in the running.

AGITATION FOR C. P. R. EXPERIMENTAL MIXED FARM.

Lengthy Petition Pointing Out Advantages Of Bassano Forwarded To Railway Company.

A determined attempt is being made to attract the attention of the C.P.R. to the desirability of Bassano as a central point for the location of one of the twenty-five experimental mixed farms which are being distributed throughout the West.

Current arguments have a lengthy petition presented to J. B. Dennis, assistant to the President, and chief of the great Natural Resources department of the C.P.R. in Calgary, pointing out the advantages of the town.

The reasons given for the plea to have it placed here are:

1. That as the Bassano district is a comparatively easy task to influence the incoming settlers to take up mixed farming if they are provided with a practical example of its merits.

2. That as the number of landless, idle, and capitalless desiring to inspect the Dam and Irrigation system is ever increasing, and as Bassano is a point at which they can with the greatest economy of time be taken to see the project, it will be to the advantage of the entire system, it would appear that such a farm located in the immediate vicinity of Bassano, will provide the public with the opportunity of becoming conversant with the greatest utility as well as with magnitude of the irrigation system.

3. That with the completion of the Bassano railway and irrigation line, such a farm located at Bassano will be easy of access to the greatest possible number of residents in the irrigation block, and as Bassano, on the completion of these lines, will be a junction of these lines, will be a point of inspecting the farm.

The citizens of Bassano are already planning an agricultural fair to be held when settlement will permit of its success, to be second to none in the Bow Valley; and to which the farmers will be naturally drawn when attending the fair, they will have the opportunity of inspecting the farm.

CROWFOOT.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Leighton were visitors to Crowfoot.

Mr. Follows, of Pittsburg, was visiting Mr. D. G. Guyett, and was much taken up with the country.

Mr. T. J. Palmer took a flying visit to Calgary on Wednesday.

Mr. Pierce has returned from Bassano where he was seeing half section of land for the C. D. Company. He takes the Calgary train to keep things moving.

The grain on the Crowfoot Farming Company's land is showing up fine.

Mr. Bannatyne has just arrived from England, and is visiting his daughter, Mrs. P. Robinson north of town.

Wm. P. Watson has purchased the foot from W. J. Robinson adjoining his hardware store at \$150 per foot. Mr. Watson now owns forty feet between Webster Bros.

The Bassano local will be extended to Medicine Hat from June 1st, leaving Medicine Hat about 7 o'clock, it strikes Bassano at nine thirty. The Calgary-Winnipeg local train which also starts June 1st, will leave Calgary twenty minutes behind the night transcontinental. This will be the train to stop at Bassano.

BEST SEEDING SEASON EVER KNOWN AROUND BASSANO

That this is the best seeding season known in Alberta for seven or eight years is the consensus of opinion around this district.

Practically all the grain is in the ground, only a few acres of flax being out yet, the oats and wheat being ready up several inches all over the country.

All the farmers agree that prospects never were better. There have been exactly the right elements of sun and rain, and exactly the right kind of rain.

Everything is off to an early start, and given plenty of moisture until the end of June, and then a brilliant sunshine, and record crops of this district and indeed of the whole of the West will be the result.

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The Bow Valley League has been thoroughly organized, and the first game of the season between Bassano and Strathmore will come off at Strathmore on June 3rd.

A meeting of the league was held at the latter end of the week, when W. A. McCaugham, of Glendon, president last year was re-elected president, and James Black, of Gleichen, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Pegler and Dardy cap, a magnificent piece of silverware, presented by the Bassano firm, will probably be the trophy of the league. Mr. A. Marshall, of Brooks, also has a cap for competition, and if Brooks enters, this will be the trophy, as his offer was in first. It that event the Pegler and Dardy cap will go to the best team in the league at the end of the season.

As Brooks is already entered for one competition with teams in the league for the next, it is hardly likely they will be seen in the Bow Valley League. The Bassano representatives in the meeting were J. E. Barker and Mr. Ludwell.

E. Arnold Dyer has been retained by Adcock to represent him in the prosecution which alleges he hit J. B. P. DeWitt with a hammer after being ordered to take his unless out of Mr. DeWitt's field. As the case came off for hearing in Calgary, Mr. Dyer has retained Frank Bates.

PROGRESSIVE BASSANO



The above cut is a feeble reproduction of the fine brick block 35 by 60 erected by Geo. P. Watson Jeweller of Winnipeg, who has intense faith in the future of Bassano as the centre of a huge irrigation area, on Second Avenue. This is just on the point of completion. The block which has made a marked improvement in the appearance of Second Avenue, will have an attractively displayed jewelry store on the ground floor. The upper story will be devoted to offices almost all of which have been leased and they will have the upstairs front offices. The Stanley Construction company has the contract for the building.

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A New York financial journal, presuming to deal at length upon the hesitancy of British investors with respect to Canadian municipal flotations especially in the West. While they were snappily up eagerly formerly, this paper now discovers some pause in the scramble for the securities. It assumes the reason for this to be due to the exaggerated assessment and inflated valuations in Western towns.

We fail to find ground for any complaint. True, the British market has just borne immense flotations of Western Canadian municipally bonds, but the condition of affairs in this prospecting West, easily accounts for that. In a country that is filling up with people at an enormously rapid pace, new centres are constantly being created; and points of vantage are springing into being daily. The people forming these communities, need those necessities of life, such as sewer and water and kindred vital facilities which their brethren in older Eastern cities already have. In consequence, they press to procure these advantages for the general health and comfort of their respective communities, and seek the natural channel by floating debentures. The law limits their borrowing powers to a finite measure, even taking into account the unadmitted inflated values that staid easterners in stagnant towns exclaim about.

To the point therefore it amounts to this, that the amount of municipal bonds sold should cause no alarm. In no place in the West has the investment proved unsafe; indeed it is much safer than far outside subdivision speculation offered English buyers. Rather the total indicates the praiseworthy of the West; the rate

The Agitation For
C.P.R. Farms

The movement commenced by Publicity Commissioner W. A. Matthews to have one of the C.P.R. experimental farms placed at Bassano is an admirable one.

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**SLOUGH IS STILL UNDER
DISCUSSION.**

Monday was public health night at the Council. The general health of the town was discussed. Steps were taken towards filling up the slough of a slough that has been threatening the lives of the business quarter since early spring, and herding of cows was advised as the best remedy for preventing them drinking at the seepage and sewage around the dump heap. Dr. A. O. Scott was called into attendance and put in a strong letter about the slough which he described as a filthiest menace to the health of the town's people, and advised that some thing should be done towards its abolition.

The Council unanimously agreed that something should be done, and a motion put by Councillor Flanagan and seconded by Councillor Schoop was carried, to the effect that all property owners should be given one week's notice in which to fill up their portion of the slough, and if they failed to fulfill their obligations the Council would go to work and charge it up to them.

The Council completely fill up the lane, and thereby set a good precedent, and the hope was expressed that by the filling up of the slough this would avoid all future trouble.

In addition, Dr. Scott brought up the matter of cows surrounding the dump heap, and suggested that it should be fenced. As fresh dump quarters are being investigated however, the Council decided to leave this matter open until the order re the herding of cows came into effect.

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AROUND TOWN

E. C. Small arrived back from Russell Brown's ranch this week.

J. H. Payne, of the Two Die Ranch was a visitor to town this week.

Chas. Parks, of Berry Creek, was in town this week.

Furnished front room to rent, apply Mrs. Morlock, Third Avenue, Bassano, S. 114.

Michael Knoll is in Bassano from his hometown for a few days.

P. Powell has put in three hundred acres in flax, oats and wheat on his section north of Lethbridge.

T. H. Burgess, of the Bassano Decorating Company has come to Spokane for a few weeks.

P. H. Holworth, the popular storekeeper of Berry Creek, spent a few days in Bassano this week.

T. W. Weiss has sold the northwest quarter of section 22 to Hill & McCullum for \$100 per acre.

Upon the motion of Councillor Flanagan, seconded by Councillor Berry, this amount was ordered to be paid.

Mrs. Orchard and family have joined Mr. Orchard, arriving on Sunday from Spokane.

Notice given in the Alberta Gazette of the appointment of R. Arnold Dyer as Notary Public.

S. A. Watson, father of Geo. F. Watson has arrived in Bassano from Winnipeg to take up residence here for a while.

Councillor W. J. Robinson has put the north east quarter of section 22 into flax and wheat. It is showing up nicely where the ground is reported to be good.

Councillor Frank Berry was sworn in as a member of the Council Monday night, and thus once again takes active interest in town affairs.

All kinds of news concerning the movement of Bassano people and visitors to town will be appreciated by the News. Phone 20.

Rev. Mr. Fisher, of Brooks, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church last Sunday. Rev. W. A. Claxton was at Brooks.

The schoolboard estimates for the year amount to \$6,500. They were presented to the Council at the regular meeting Monday night, and when a demand was made for \$2,000 before July 1st to wipe off an overdraft on the bank of \$100 and to meet current expenses.

Grace Bonner, Impersonator and Ventriquist, entertained a large crowd of people at the Presbyterian church on Saturday evening. She gave 15 musicals, drama, in four acts, representing no fewer than eleven different characters.

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